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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated May 16, 2000 and in accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.111, Applicants submit the following amendment for entry in the above-identified case.

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Page 1, line 4, above the paragraph beginning with the text "The present invention relates", insert the text --FIELD OF THE INVENTION--;

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